


Surname	Prior
Forename(s)	Charles James
Initials	C J
Age	
Honours/Awards	
Date died	28/12/1917
Rank	Boat Hand
Regiment	Lighthouse and Pilotage Authorities
Unit/Squadron	Pilotage Authority, No. 1 Pilot Boat "Alfred H. Read" (Liverpool)
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Tower Hill Memorial
Grave Reference	
Further Information	Son of C J Prior of 3 Wilson Road, Seacombe, Cheshire.
	 <p>A black and white portrait of a young man, Charles James Prior, wearing a dark suit, white shirt, and dark tie. He has dark hair and is looking slightly to the right of the camera. The portrait is framed by a dark border.</p> <p>www.historyofwallasey.co.uk</p>

News Report

Lost At Sea

Mr. and Mrs. Prior, of 3, Wilson Road, Egremont, have received information that their son, Charles James Prior, has been lost at sea. The deceased young man, who was only 19 years of age, joined the pilotage service at the age of 16 as an apprentice. He was educated at Wallasey Higher Elementary School and was very popular with his associates. He attended St. John's Church, Egremont, where he was a member of the Sunday School. His elder brother is at present serving with the forces in Italy, and a younger brother is a cadet in one of the steamship lines.

References and Acknowledgments

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